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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Application No.: 10/652,582 Filing Date: August 29, 2003

Examiner: Donald W. Underwood Unit: 3652

Invention: **REINFORCING FRAME CONSTRUCTION FOR TRACTOR HAVING ROPS**

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment and Petition for Two-month Extension of Time** in the above-identified application.

Small Entity Status is/has been asserted for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed.
 No additional claim fee is required.
 The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| No of Claims After Amendment | Highest No. Previously Paid For | Present Extra | Small Entity Rate | Non-Small Entity/ Rate | Charge |
|--|---------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| Total <u>12</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>0</u> | x \$ <u>25.00</u> | x \$ <u>50.00</u> | \$ <u>0.00</u> |
| Indep. <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>0</u> | x \$ <u>100.00</u> | x \$ <u>200.00</u> | \$ <u>0.00</u> |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim/s | | | | | + \$ <u>180.00</u> + \$ <u>360.00</u> \$ <u>0.00</u> |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE | | | | | \$ <u>0.00</u> |

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 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
 Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
 Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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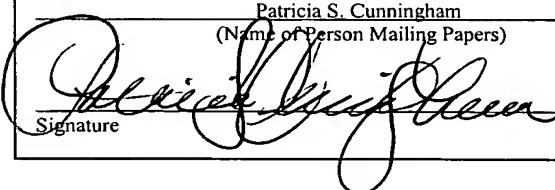
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